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Introducing the Agilent Pesticide & Environmental Pollutant GC/MS/MS Analyzer 2.0

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GC/MS Multi-Residue Pesticide Analysis



5975C SQ
Scan, SIM, SIM / Scan

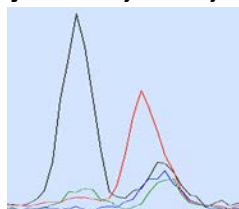


7000B QQQ
MRM

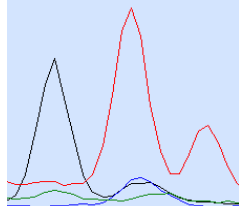
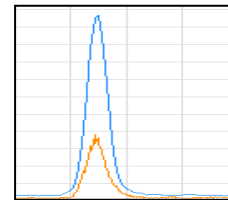
GC/MS SIM vs. GC/QQQ; Dieldrin at 10 ppb

GC/SIM m/z 263, 265, 277, 279

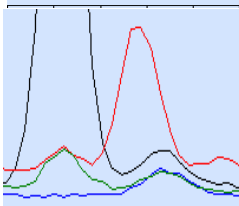
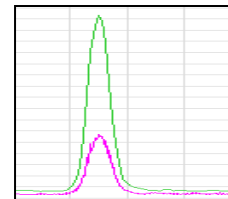
GC/QQQ MRM 263 $\rightarrow$ 191 & 263 $\rightarrow$ 193



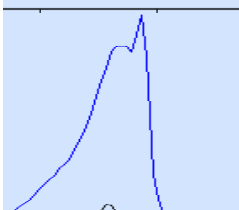
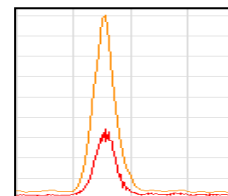
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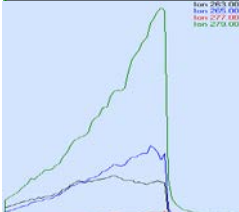
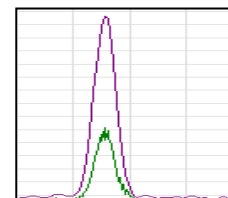
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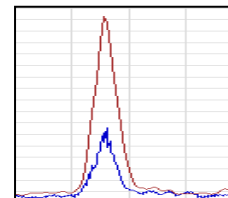
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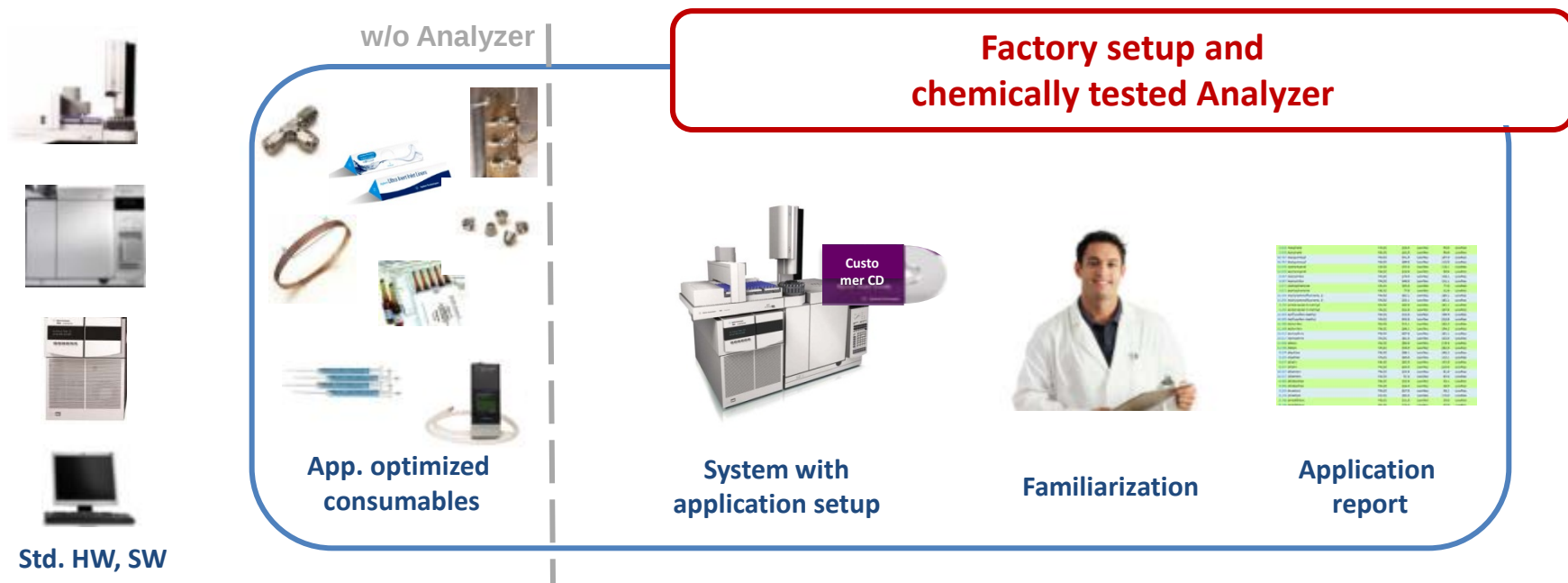
Orange



Spinach



The Analyzer Concept -- Enable customer to produce high performance result from DAY ONE



Fast Track Analyzer

Factory Setup & Checkout

CE Specialist Analyzer I&F

Consulting or Field Sol.

Aftermarket

Individual Components produced

Individual Components Tested (OFN)

System assembled

App. method developed on cust. system

System checkout on App. mix

Run 1st customer sample

customization or optimization method

On-going maintains/service

Box Selling

CE Setup; Boxes I&F

Customer on Their Own

Aftermarket

The Advantages of P&EP GC/MS/MS Analyzer 2.0

Retention Time Locking

- **Allow simple and rapid system set-up** and easy data comparison between ECD, MSD, MS/MS...

Multimode inlet (MMI)

- **Large-volume injection enhances trace-level detection** – inlet adds flexibility by including standard, cold split/splitless, and solvent vent (LVI) capabilities

Capillary Flow Technology (CFT) and backflush

- **Improve uptime** - shorter analysis time, more consistent retention times and spectra, longer column life, and less frequent source cleaning

Pre-configured and factory set-up / tested

- **Factory set-up and checked out on pesticide mixture** ready to generate results on Day One

Building Customized Pesticide Multi-Residue MRM Methods

Most laboratories have their own tailor-made lists of target analytes, how can they easily and quickly create customized GC-MS/MS MRM methods?



G9250AA

**Comprehensive MS/MS
MRM Database**

- **Comprehensive and Flexible Optimized MRM database** for 1000+ compounds, ready to use and customer can create customized method in minutes !

New!

The Most Comprehensive and Flexible MRM database

❖ 1000+ Pesticides & Environmental Pollutants

Compound Classification	Total Number
Pesticides (fungicides, herbicides, insecticides, rodenticides and others)	675
Breakdown Products	42
Deuterated Compounds	6
Polybrominated Diphenyl Ether (PBDE)	4
Polybrominated Biphenyl (PBB)	1
Polychlorinated Biphenyl (PCB)	209
Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbon (PAH)	26
Phthalates	17
Additional Semi-volatile Pollutants	94

❖ Average of 8 MRM transitions for each compound (Total > 8500)

- provides alternatives to **avoid matrix interferences**
- includes relative intensities for all transitions

We collected \$70,000 worth of chemicals and made >3500 runs, so customers don't have to!

The Most Comprehensive and Flexible MRM database

❖ Each compound has 13 characteristics

-- allows **easy searching and filtering** for method customization

- ✓ 2 formats of CAS number (with or without dashes)
- ✓ 2 classifications based on compound usage and functional group
- ✓ Averaged and mono-isotope molecular weights
- ✓ Molecular formula
- ✓ Compound name in 3 languages (English, Chinese, Japanese)
- ✓ Relative intensity of each transition (easy to filter out all intensities > 50%)
- ✓ Transitions in descending order within a compound (easy to filter out top 1, 3, or 5 etc.)
- ✓ User specified field (tagging compounds to regulatory or internal methodologies)

The Most Comprehensive and Flexible MRM database

❖ Tools and macros for easy custom method creation

-- two ways to build an MRM method, based on **their** compound list, in **5 minutes**

- ✓ Use Compounds List Assistant (from MassHunter) for time segment overlap, or
- ✓ Use Excel-based macro to adjust time segments and optimize dwell times

❖ Retention times (RT) and indexes (RI) for three GC methods included

- ✓ **Fast method:** 20-min run, constant flow (CF), mid-column back flush
- ✓ **Full screening method:** 40-min run, constant flow (CF), mid-column back flush
- ✓ **Flexible method:** 40-min run, constant pressure (CP), post-column back flush



The Most Comprehensive and Flexible MRM database

❖ Three easy learning videos supplied with database

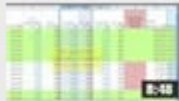
- ✓ Overview of the Database
- ✓ How to build your custom acquisition method
- ✓ How to add compounds to the Database

Access videos on Agilent.com website

<https://www.chem.agilent.com/en-US/Products/Instruments/ms/gc-ms/systems/7000triplequadrupolegcms/pages/default.aspx>

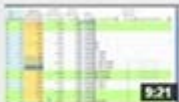
Or on





Pesticides & Pollutants MRM Database Overview
Overview of the pesticides and environmental pollutants **MRM database**. It introduces you to the content and layout of the **database** in excel format.
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<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-q7ytZDtRAs>



Pesticides & Pollutants MRM Database Method
Overview of how to build an **MRM** acquisition method from the list of 261 compounds using the Pesticides and Environmental pollutants **MRM database**.
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<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ayZjwcRM3y0>



Adding compounds to the Pesticides & Pollutants MRM data...
Overview on how to add additional compounds to the G9250AA Pesticides and Environmental pollutants **MRM database**.
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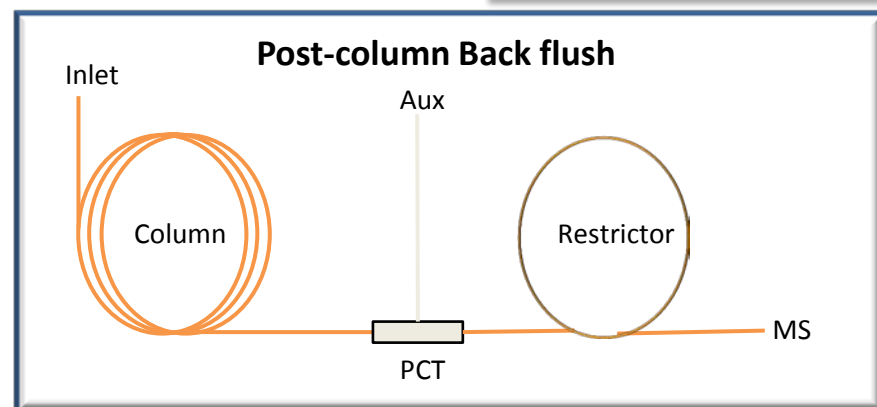
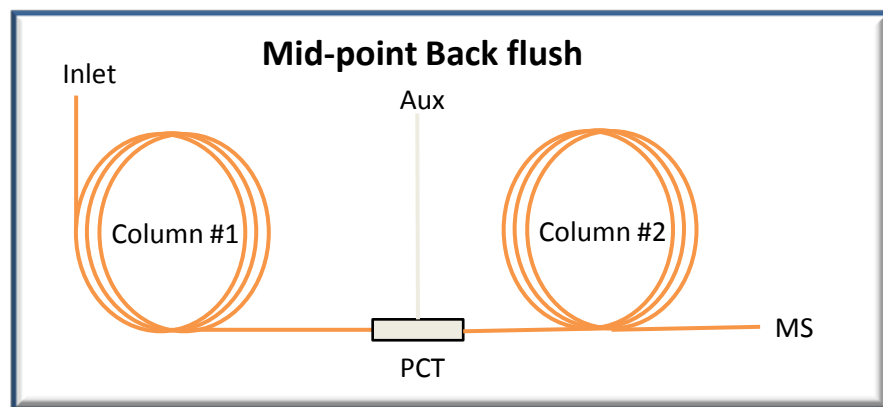
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The Flexibility: Multi-transitions; classifications; 3 RTs and RIs

Each compound is classified in two categories

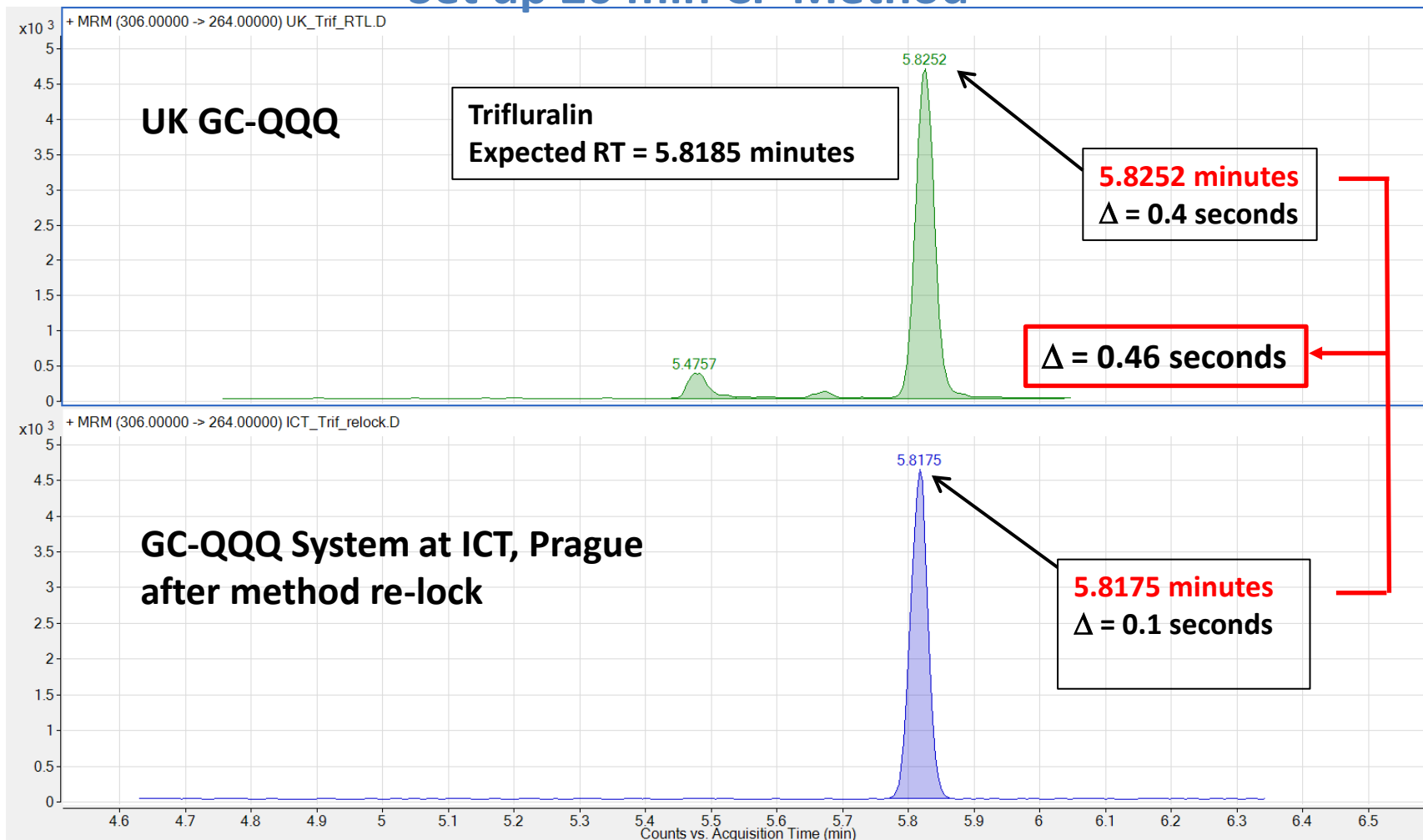
Pre-Configured Analyzer RTL GC Methods

	40 Minute Constant Flow Method	20 Minute Constant Flow Method	40 Minute Constant Pressure Method	20 Minute Constant Pressure Method
Column(s)	2 x 15m	2 x 15m	1 x 30m	1 x 15m
Back flush type	Mid-point	Mid-point	Post-column	Post-column
# Targets	~300+	~200+	~300+	~200+



RTL GC/MS/MS Method

Set up 20 min CP Method



Load method, re-lock method on customer site and acquisition method is set-up

Case Study – UK Food Contract Lab

- ✚ Customer looking to move to GC-MS/MS (Mass Hunter) from several GC-MSD (ChemStation) systems for multi-residue pesticide analysis
- ✚ Build bespoke 178 compound MS/MS method
 - *Manually building MRM method took 2 days*
 - *now could use G9250AA MRM database and build the method in just a few minutes from a simple list of compound names & CAS numbers*
- ✚ Method :2x RTL Method, 15m HP-5MSUI Column, post column back flush (PCT)
- ✚ Green Bean and Mint extracts



GC-QQQ – 178 Target Analytes

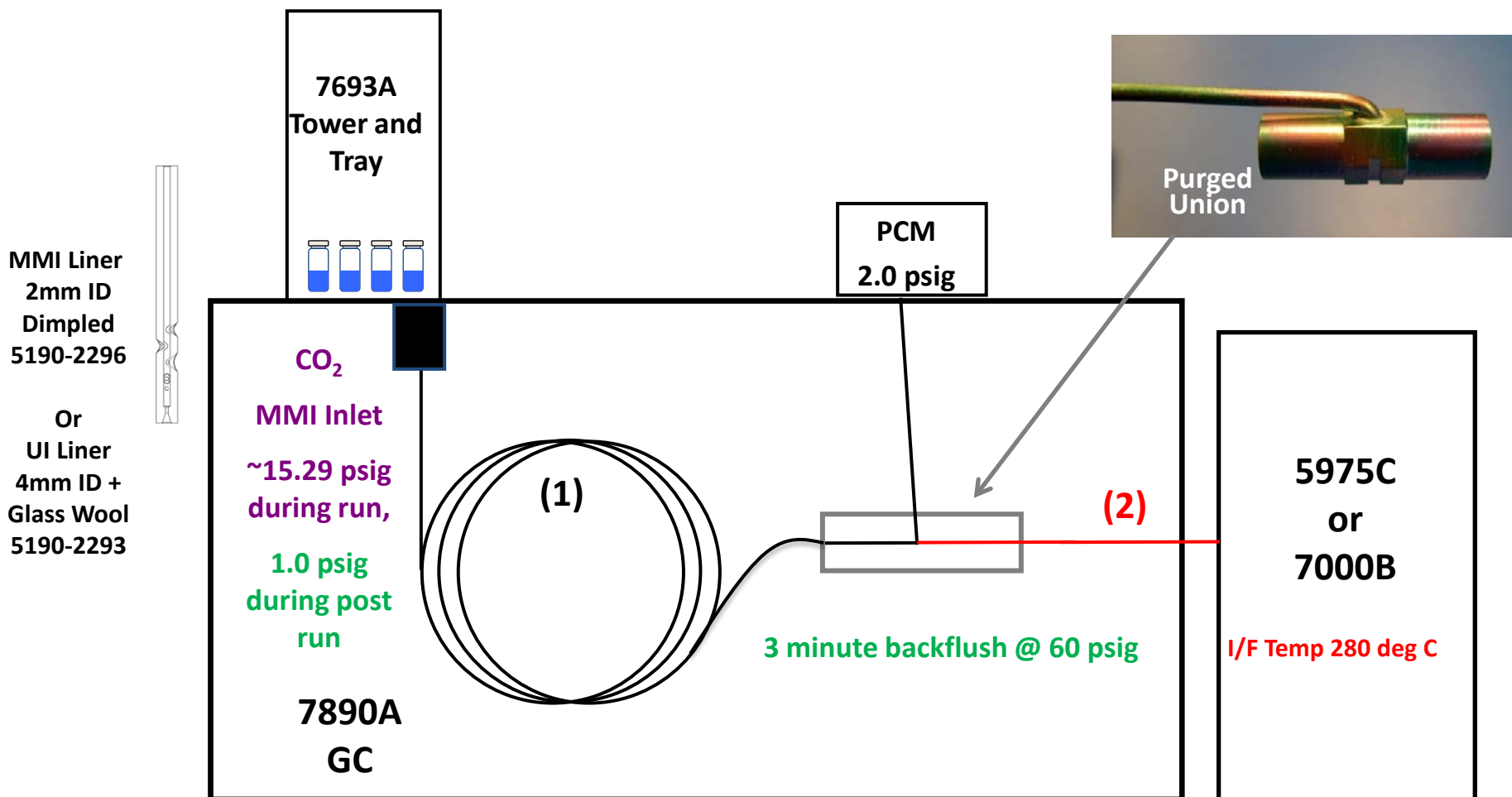
Dichlorvos	Diazinon	Parathion ethyl	Methidathion	Carbophenothion	Tebufenpyrad
Dichlobenil	Phosphamidon I	Isobenzan	Bromophos-ethyl	Endosulfan sulfate	Fenazaquin
Biphenyl	BHC delta isomer	Chlorthal-dimethyl	Endosulfan (alpha isomer)	Quinoxifen	Bifenox
Mevinphos	Paraoxon-methyl	Fenson	PyrifenoX II	Cyanofenphos	Tetradifon
Propham	Terbacil	Nitrothal-isopropyl	Chlordane, cis-		Phenothrin I
Methacrifos	Tefluthrin, cis-	Tetraconazole	Disulfoton sulfone	Propiconazole-II	Phenothrin II
Phenylphenol, o-	Etrimfos	Isodrin	Tetrachlorvinphos	DDT, o,p'-	Furathiocarb
Tecnazene	Chlorothalonil	Butralin	Paclobutrazol	DDT, p,p'-	Phosalone
Propachlor	Formothion	Pirimiphos-ethyl	Chlorfenson	Lenacil	Leptophos
Propoxur	Dichlofenthion	Cyprodinil	Hexaconazole	Propiconazole-I	Cyhalothrin I (lambda)
Diphenylamine	Metribuzin	Heptachlor epoxide	Prothiofos	Hexazinone	Benfuracarb
Demeton-S- methyl	Chlorpyrifos Methyl	Heptachlor exo-epoxide isomer B	Dieldrin	Nuarimol	Pyrazophos
Chlorpropham	Parathion methyl	Metazachlor	Profenofos	Tebuconazole	Acrinathrin
Dioxabenzofos	Spiroxamine I	Pendimethalin	DDE, p,p'-	Propargite	Dialifos
Benfluralin	Spiroxamine II	Penconazole	Fludioxonil	Piperonyl butoxide	Bitertanol I
Trifluralin	Vinclozolin	Tolyfluanid	Imazalil	Resmethrin I	Bitertanol II
Phorate	Heptachlor	Captan	Myclobutanil	Resmethrin II	Spirodiclofen
BHC alpha isomer	Tolclofos-methyl	PyrifenoX I	Endrin	Iprodione	Permethrin I
Hexachlorobenzene	Carbaryl	Chlozolate	Kresoxim-methyl	Phosmet	Pyridaben
Dicloran	Paraoxon	Folpet	Cyproconazole	Pyridaphenthion	Permethrin II
Ethoxyquin		Isofenphos	Endosulfan (beta isomer)	Tetramethrin I	Prochloraz
BHC beta isomer	Prosulfocarb	Chlorfenvinphos	Chlorfenapyr	Bromopropylate	Cyfluthrin I-IV
Lindane	Fenitrothion	Quinalphos	Chlorobenzilate	EPN	Boscalid
Quintozene	Dichlofluanid	Fluazinam	Chlordecone	Fenoxycarb	Cypermethrin I-IV
Isocarbamide		Phenthoate	DDD, p,p'-	Carbosulfan	Fenvalerate I
Terbufos	Aldrin	Mecarbam	Oxadixyl	Dicofol, p,p'-	Fenvalerate II
Fonofos	Fenthion	Fipronil	Ethion	Bifenthrin	Fluvalinate-tau-I
Propetamphos	Diethofencarb	Furalaxyl	Tetrasul	Tetramethrin II	Indoxacarb
Propyzamide	Chlorthion	Procymidone	Mepronil	Methoxychlor	Deltamethrin
Pyrimethanil	Chlorpyrifos	Chlordane, trans-	Ofurace	Fenpropathrin	Famoxadone

MRM Acquisition Method built 'by hand' : 2 Day's Work

20 minute CP Pesticide Method

(1) Constant Pressure, Column 15 m X 0.25 mm id X 0.25 μ m HP-5MSUI

(2) Constant Pressure Restrictor 0.50 m X 0.15 mm id x 0.15 μ m DB-5MSUI



Sequence Table – Order of Injections*

Inj #	Vial #	Type	Description
1	1	Blank	Blank
2	2	Blank	Blank
3	22	Blank	Lettuce extract
4	22	Blank	Lettuce extract
5	22	Blank	Lettuce extract
6	17	Calibration	Matrix Cal 10 ppb
7	18	Calibration	Matrix Cal 50 ppb
8	19	Calibration	Matrix Cal 100 ppb
9	20	Calibration	Matrix Cal 500 ppb
10	21	Blank	Blank
11	3	Sample	Spike low
12	4	Sample	Spike low
13	5	Sample	Spike high
14	6	Sample	Spike high
15	7	Blank	Blank
16	8	Blank	Blank
17	9	Sample	Spike low
18	10	Sample	Spike low
19	11	Sample	Spike high
20	12	Sample	Spike high
21	13	Sample	Green Bean extract
22	14	Sample	Green bean extract
23	15	Sample	Mint extract
24	16	Sample	Mint extract
25	17	Calibration	Matrix Cal 10 ppb
26	18	Calibration	Matrix Cal 50 ppb
27	19	Calibration	Matrix Cal 100 ppb
28	20	Calibration	Matrix Cal 500 ppb
29	21	Blank	Blank

Sequence ran 3 times on 3 consecutive days - no system maintenance performed between sequences



* Total time to run 29 injections
= 13 hours 15 minutes



7000 QQQ Results – Green Bean & Mint Extracts





Quant Results – Extracts

	Batch Day 1	Batch Day 2	Batch Day 3	Batch Day 1	Batch Day 2	Batch Day 3
	Green Bean Extract	Green Bean Extract	Green Bean Extract	Mint Extract	Mint Extract	Mint Extract
	Mean ppb	Mean ppb	Mean ppb	Mean ppb	Mean ppb	Mean ppb
Biphenyl	3.1	2.6	2.7			
<i>o</i>-Phenyl phenol	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.6
Diphenylamine	0.6	0.6	0.6	1.3	1.2	1.2
Chloropropham	0.9	0.8	0.9			
Diazinon				1.1	1.1	1.0
Ethion	23.9	20.9	25.9			
Tebuconazole				408	412	417
Iprodione				16.0	14.3	15.6
λ-Cyhalothrin				362	349	350
Boscalid				8.0	8.0	7.0
Deltamethrin				75.0	80.6	62.5

Extracts also analyzed in full scan mode using 5975 MSD and Deconvolution Reporting Software
- See *Additional Slides* section

Determination of Multi-Pesticide Residues in Dried Tea Samples using an Optimized Extraction / Clean-up Regime and the Agilent 7000 Series Tandem Quadrupole GC/MS/MS System

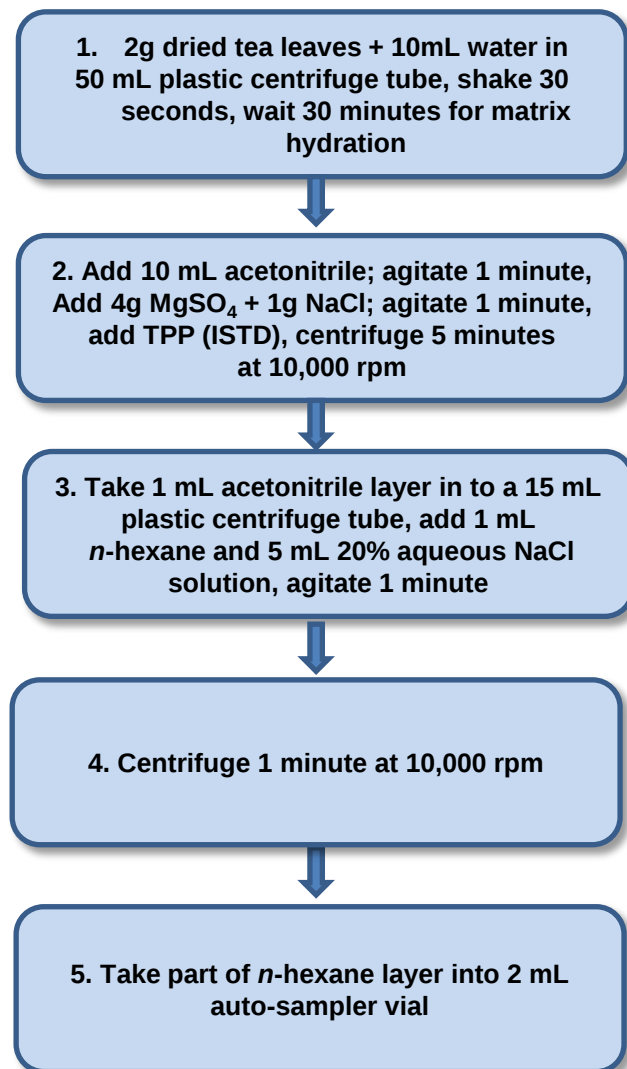
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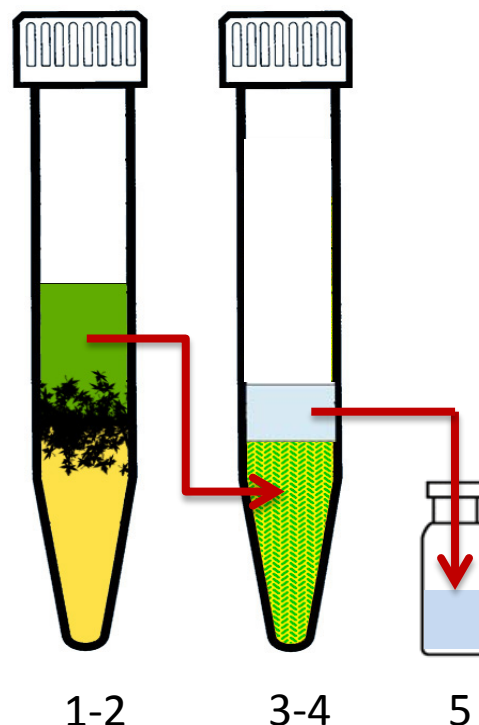
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TEA : SAMPLE PREPARATION PROCEDURE



Easily prepare 6 samples / hour



■ Acetonitrile ■ Water ■ Hexane
■ Acetonitrile / 20% Aq. NaCl

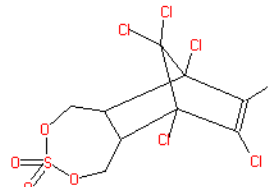
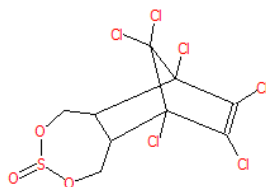
Finding a 'good' tea matrix blank - Analysis of Organic Tea Samples



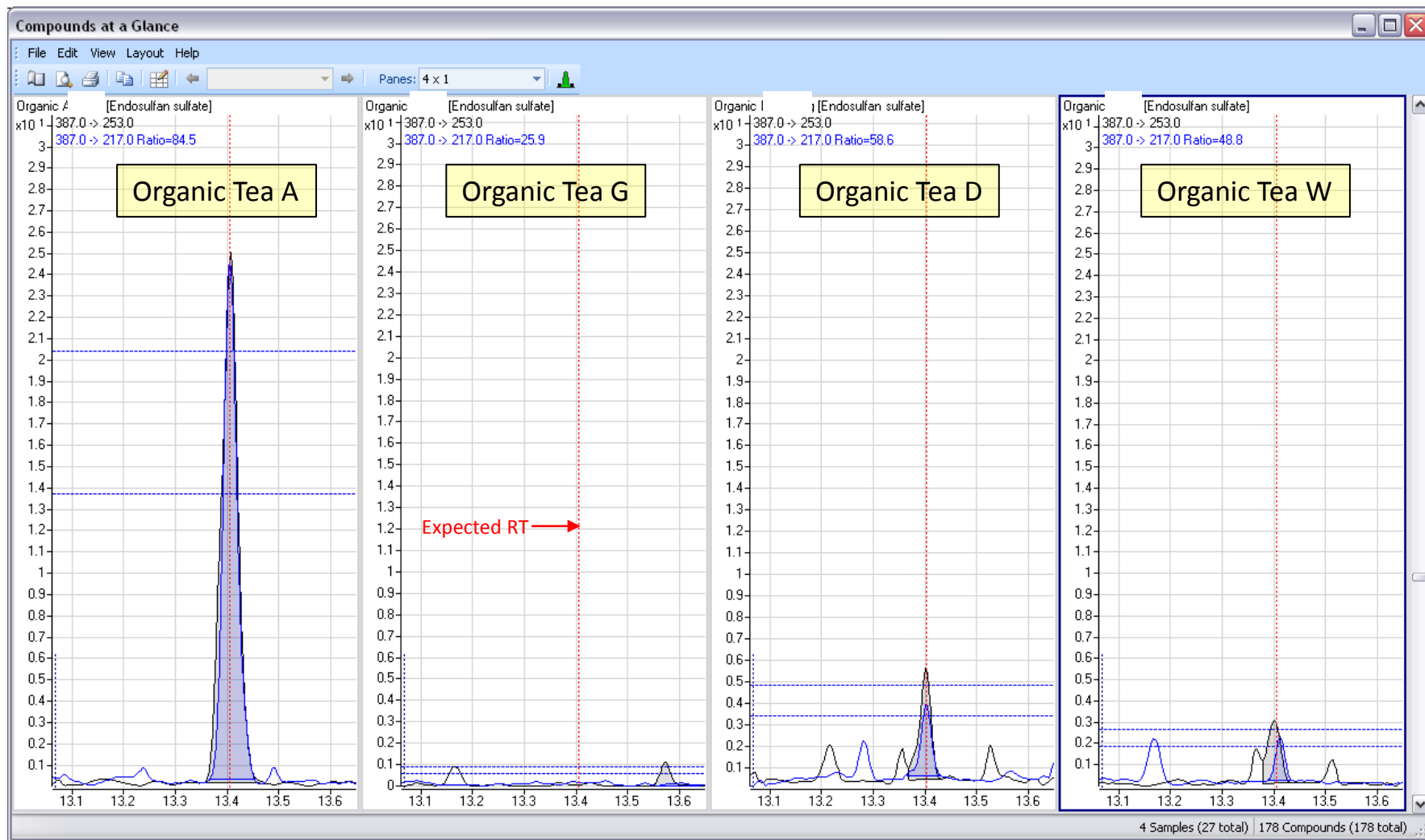
Pesticide Residues in 4 Organic Tea Extracts by GC-MS/MS

Analyte	Ret Time (min)	Organic A	Organic G	Organic D	Organic W
		ppb	ppb	ppb	ppb
Biphenyl	3.55	0.33	0.67	0.24	0.41
o-Phenyl phenol	4.42	0.25	0.45	0.24	0.24
a-Endosulfan	11.32	0.89			
p,p'-DDE	12.02	0.18			
b-Endosulfan	12.59	1.15			
Endosulfan sulfate	13.40	3.31		0.60	
pp'-DDT	13.51	0.45		0.27	

Σ Endosulfans = 5.35 ppb, Equivalent to 0.027 mg/kg
EU MRL (Tea) = 30 mg/kg



Endosulfan Sulfate Transitions in 4 Organic Tea Extracts



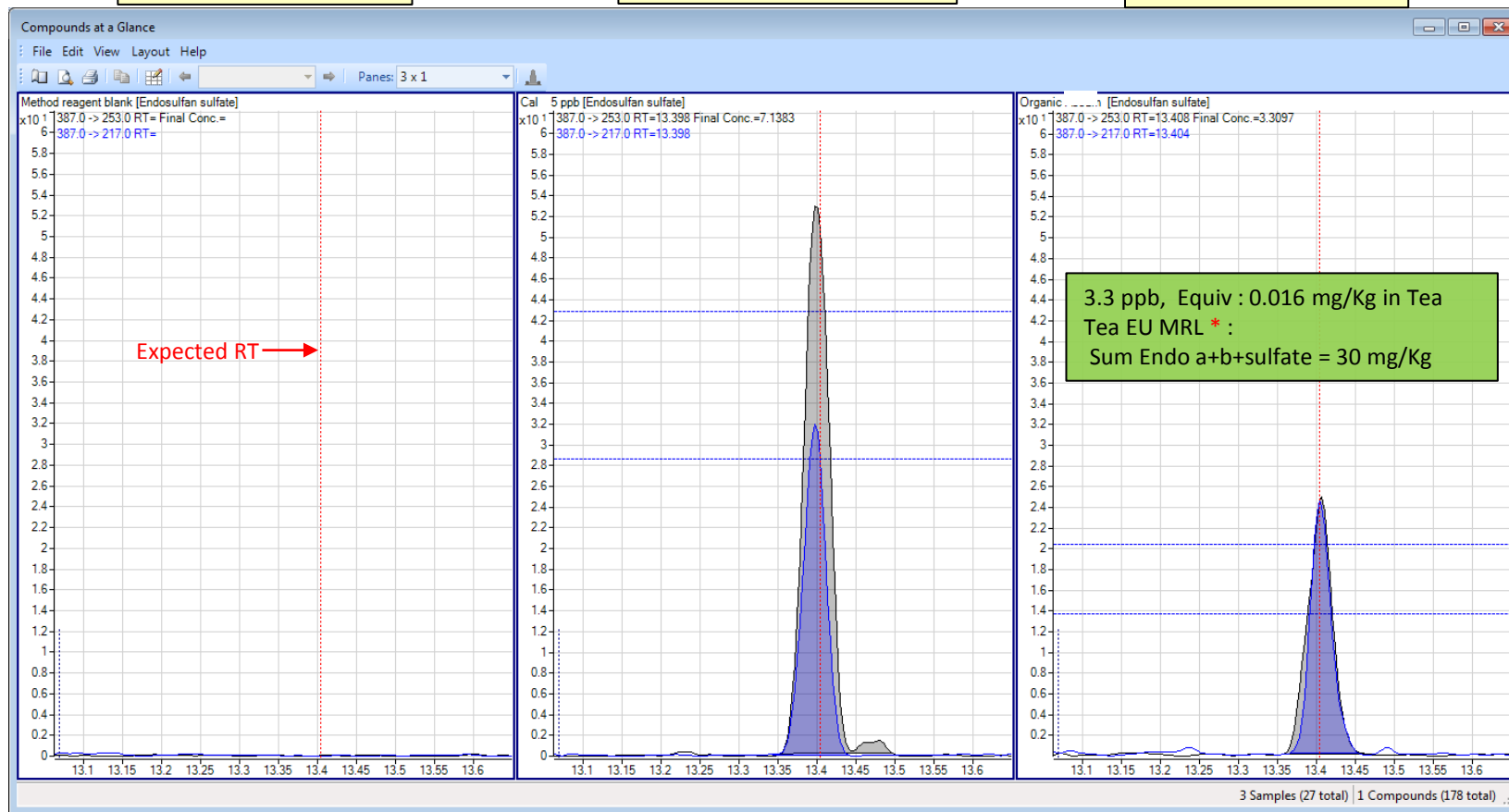
Endosulfan Sulfate (?) in Organic Tea Extract

– Using 1 Qualifier Transition

Reagent blank

Matrix Matched
Std 5 ppb

Organic Tea A



* Regulation (EC) No 396/2005, Tea (dried leaves and stalks, fermented or otherwise, of *Camellia sinensis*)

Optimized Endosulfan Sulfate MRM Transitions in the G9250AA Database

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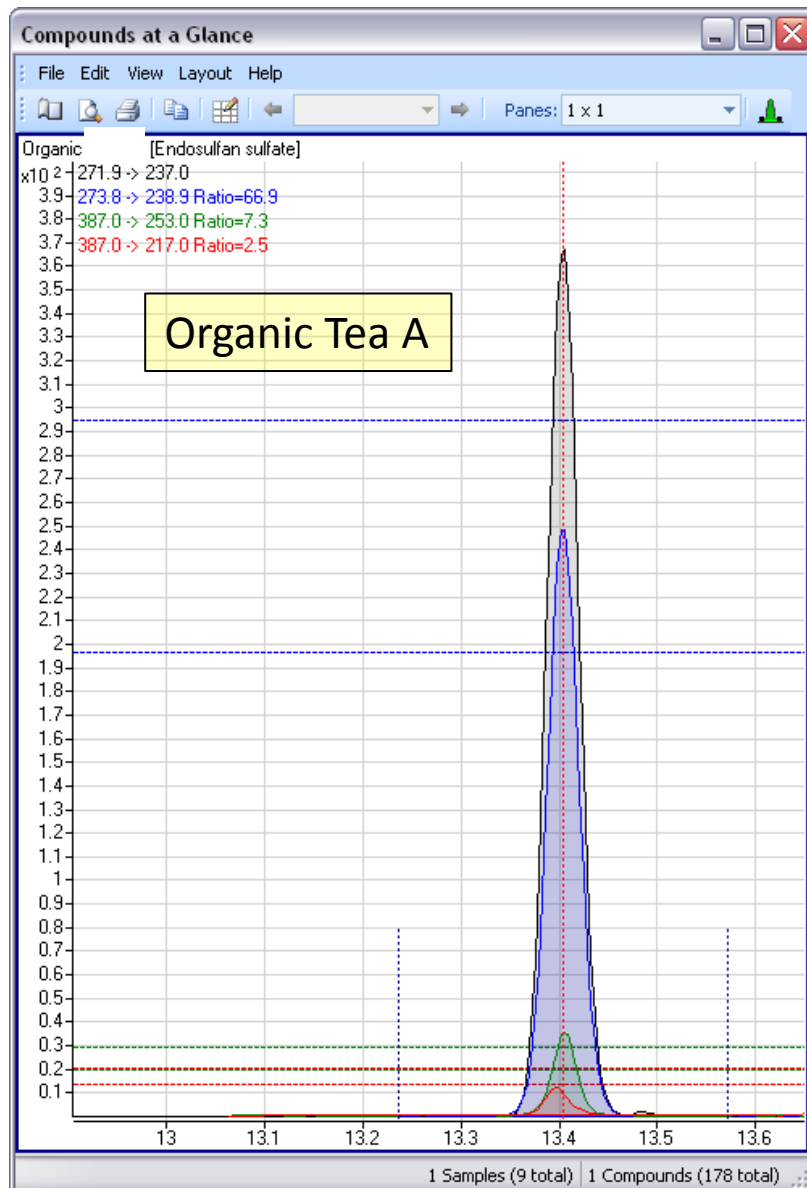
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6560	35694-06-5	2,2',3,4,4',5-Hexachlorobiphenyl (E	13.44	false	324.8	LowRes	289.8	LowRes	10	15	0.1	960	45%	Q7	
6561	35694-06-5	2,2',3,4,4',5-Hexachlorobiphenyl (E	13.44	false	361.9	LowRes	291.8	LowRes	10	25	0.1	870	41%	Q8	
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6563	35694-06-5	2,2',3,4,4',5-Hexachlorobiphenyl (E	13.44	false	361.9	LowRes	326.8	LowRes	10	15	0.1	750	35%	Q10	
6564	3735-33-9	Phosmet oxon	13.49	false	160.0	LowRes	77.0	LowRes	10	25	0.1	480	100%	Q0	
6565	3735-33-9	Phosmet oxon	13.49	false	160.0	LowRes	51.0	LowRes	10	40	0.1	230	48%	Q1	
6566	3735-33-9	Phosmet oxon	13.49	false	160.0	LowRes	133.0	LowRes	10	15	0.1	220	46%	Q2	
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6568	3735-33-9	Phosmet oxon	13.49	false	133.0	LowRes	50.9	LowRes	10	30	0.1	30	6%	Q4	
6569	3735-33-9	Phosmet oxon	13.49	false	133.0	LowRes	104.8	LowRes	10	5	0.1	20	4%	Q5	
6570	3735-33-9	Phosmet oxon	13.49	false	301.0	LowRes	191.8	LowRes	10	10	0.1	0	0%	Q6	
6571	3735-33-9	Phosmet oxon	13.49	false	172.0	LowRes	104.0	LowRes	10	15	0.1	0	0%	Q7	
6572	1031-07-8	Endosulfan sulfate	13.38	false	271.9	LowRes	237.0	LowRes	10	15	0.1	1480	100%	Q0	
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6575	1031-07-8	Endosulfan sulfate	13.38	false	271.9	LowRes	235.0	LowRes	10	15	0.1	300	20%	Q3	
6576	1031-07-8	Endosulfan sulfate	13.38	false	229.0	LowRes	194.0	LowRes	10	25	0.1	180	12%	Q4	
6577	1031-07-8	Endosulfan sulfate	13.38	false	386.6	LowRes	288.7	LowRes	10	5	0.1	80	5%	Q5	
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6585	52663-66-8	2,2',3,3',4,5'-Hexachlorobiphenyl (I	13.48	false	289.9	LowRes	217.9	LowRes	10	35	0.1	790	61%	Q6	
6586	52663-66-8	2,2',3,3',4,5'-Hexachlorobiphenyl (I	13.48	false	361.9	LowRes	326.8	LowRes	10	15	0.1	710	55%	Q7	
6587	52663-66-8	2,2',3,3',4,5'-Hexachlorobiphenyl (I	13.48	false	318.0	LowRes	183.0	LowRes	10	20	0.1	680	53%	Q8	

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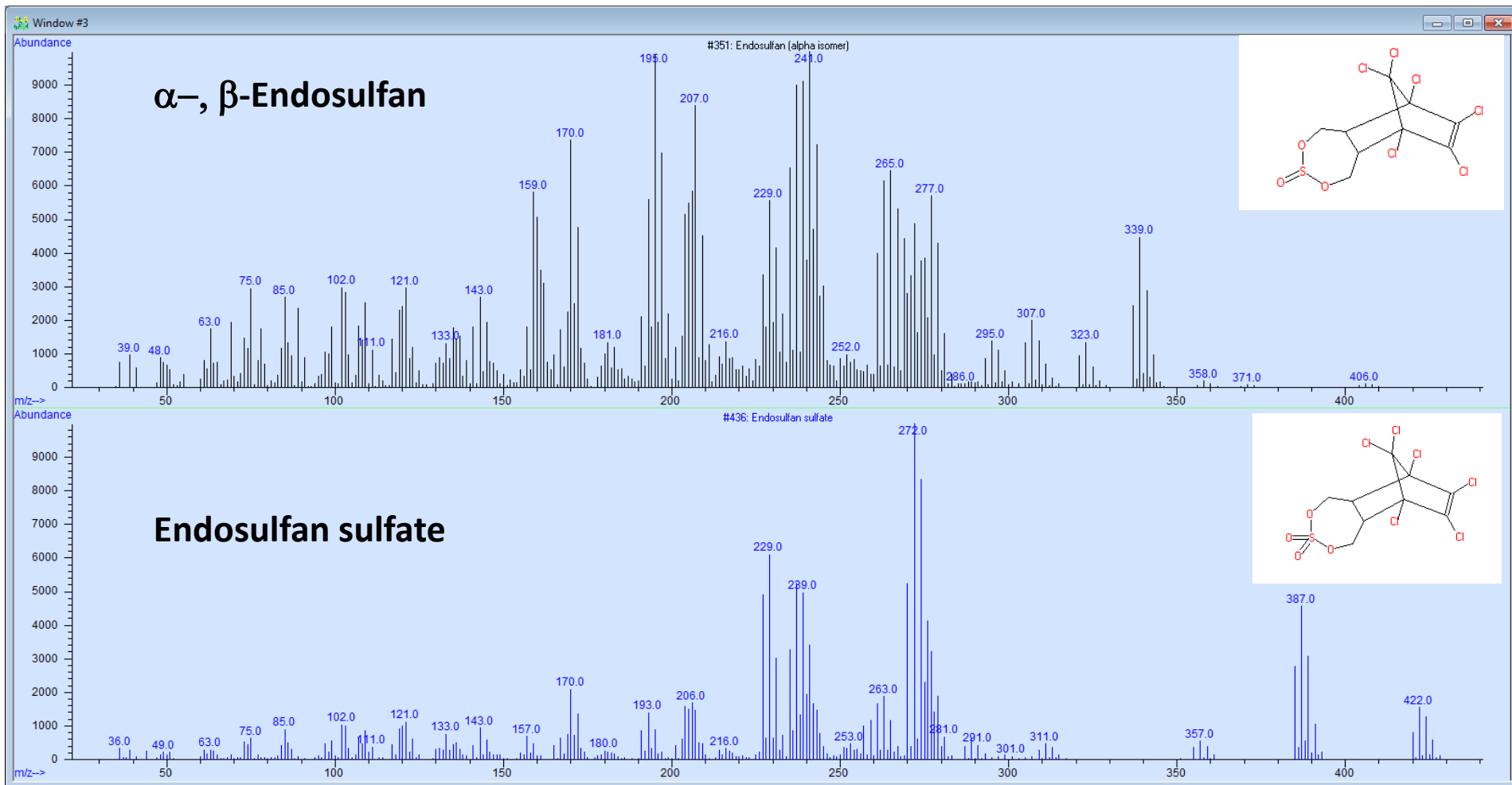
Endosulfan Sulfate (✓) in Organic Tea Extract – Using 3 Qualifier Transitions



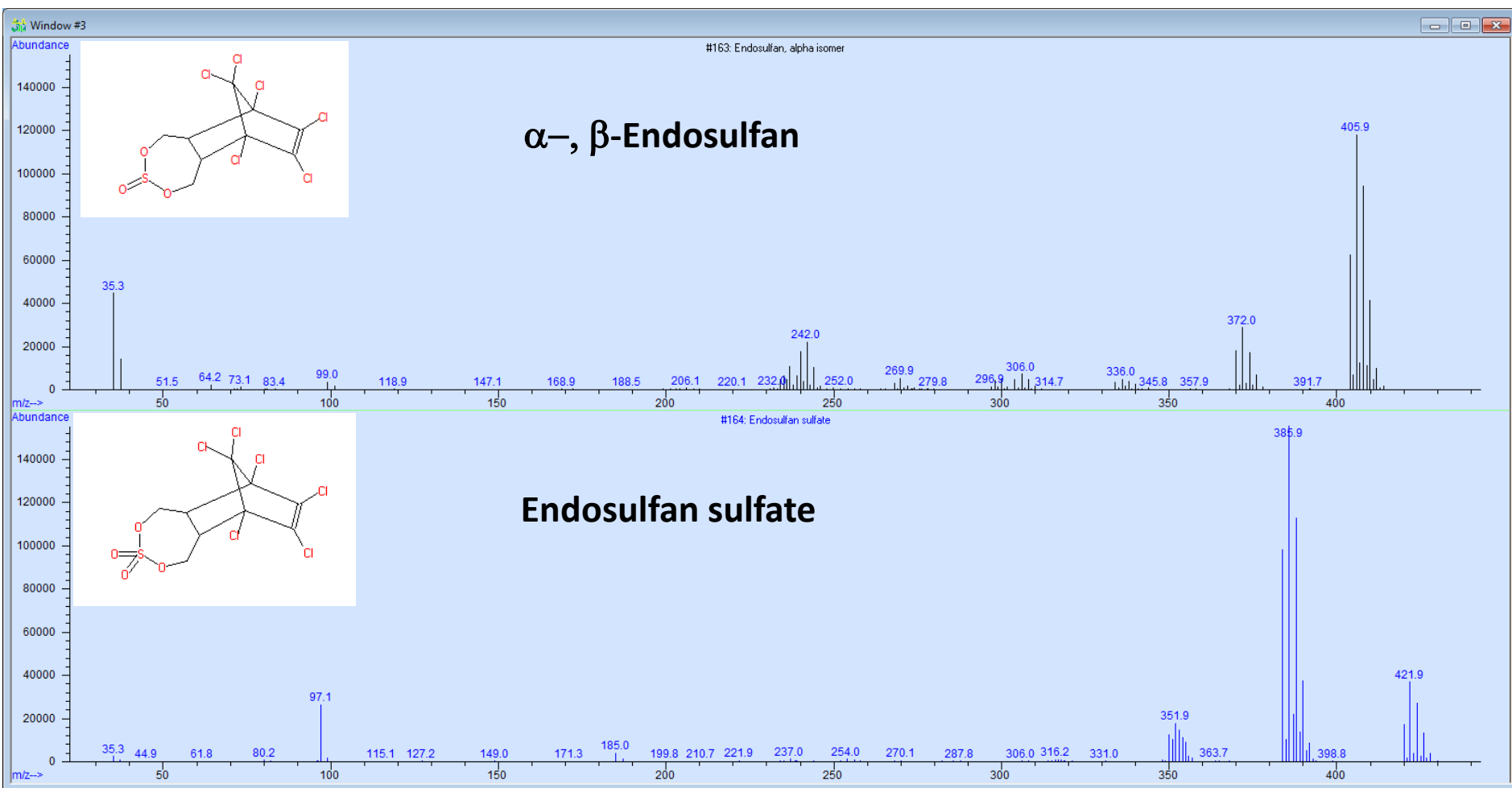
... demonstrates the value of immediate access to multiple optimized transitions in the G9250AA MRM Database

-Not just to avoid matrix interferences but also for additional confirmation

Endosulfan α , β and Sulfate - 5975 EI Mode

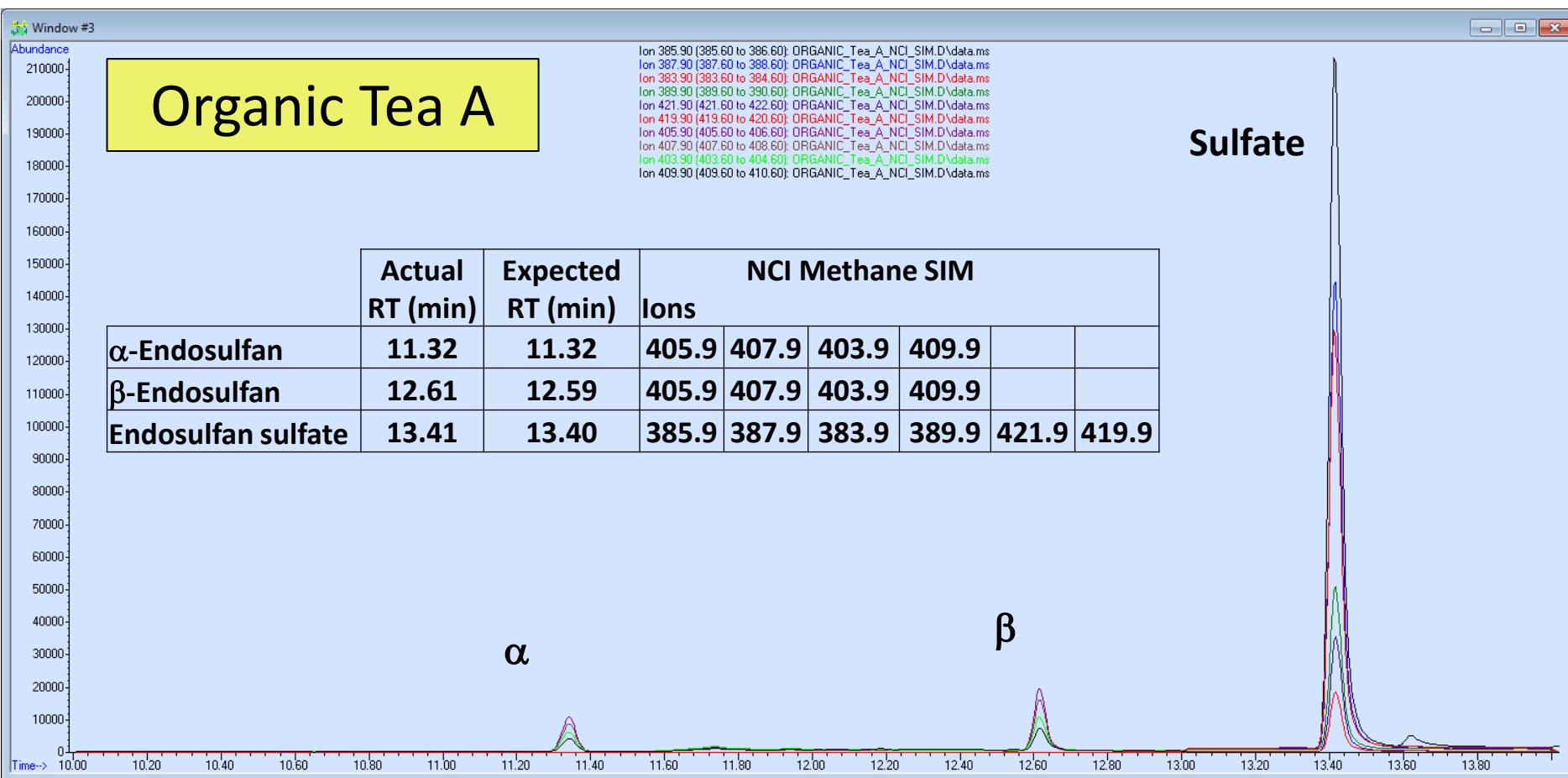


Endosulfan α , β and Sulfate - 5975 NCI Methane Mode



Endosulfan α , β and Sulfate (✓) in Organic Tea Extract A

5975 NCI Methane SIM



Updated website

http://www.chem.agilent.com/en-US/Products/Instruments/ms/pages/pesticide_triplequad_gcms_ws.aspx

The screenshot shows the Agilent Technologies website for the Triple Quad GC/MS Multiresidue Analyzer. The browser window has a single tab titled "Agilent | Identify and c...". The website header includes the Agilent logo, the tagline "The Measure of Confidence", and navigation links for "Global Sites" and "Contact Us". A main navigation bar contains links for "Products & Services", "Solutions", "Literature Library", "Technical Support", and "Buy". A search bar is located on the right with the text "Go to Part Number Search". Below the navigation bar, a breadcrumb trail reads "Home > Products & Services > Instruments & Systems > Mass Spectrometry". The main content area is titled "Identify and confirm pesticides in difficult matrices". It features a large "GO." graphic with a plant image, a "FREE Compendium" offer for a DVD, and a section for "Order your DVD now!". The text describes the challenges of pesticide analysis and the benefits of Agilent's solutions. A horizontal menu lists various analyzers: "GC/MSD Pesticide Analyzer", "Triple Quadrupole GC/MS Multiresidue Analyzer" (highlighted), "Triple Quadrupole LC/MS Pesticide Application Kit", and "TOF and QTOF LC/MS Pesticide Application Kit". Below this, another menu lists "Workflow Solution", "Technologies", "Tools", "Application Notes", "Ordering Information", and "Contact Us". The main product section is titled "Triple Quadrupole GC/MS Multiresidue Analyzer" and "Ready to go for pesticides and environmental pollutants". It states that the analyzers are fully configured and factory chemically-tested, making them easy to use for achieving high performance. A detailed description mentions the comprehensive MRM database with over 1000 pesticides and environmental pollutants, optimized with an average of 8 MRM transitions per compound. An image of the Triple Quad GC/MS Multiresidue Analyzer is shown on the right. The footer of the browser window indicates "Local intranet | Protected Mode: Off" and a zoom level of "100%".

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Summary

- **Pesticide GC/MS/MS Analyzers include**

- All required hardware / software / application specific consumables
- Retention time locked methods for ease of method set-up / adding targets
- Back-flush for robust chromatography / reduced system maintenance
- 3 (+1) Pre-configured methods to optimize productivity and / or analyte coverage

- **Pesticides / Environmental Pollutants MRM Database**

- Over 1000 analytes, Over 8000 transitions and Locked RTs
- Build custom GC-MS/MS MRM methods in minutes



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Additional Slides (not shown at EPRW 2012)

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Outline of *QuickStart* GC-MS/MS method

Sample extracts are injected into a CO₂ cooled Multi-mode Inlet (MMI) using either cold splitless injection or solvent vent (large volume) injection. The analytical column is a 15m x 0.25mm ID x 0.25µm HP-5MSUI column, operated in constant pressure mode. The method is retention time locked and the operating pressure is set to give a retention time for Trifluralin herbicide of 5.819 minutes. This will give rise to analyte retention times precisely scaled to be 2x faster than the standard Agilent RTL pesticide method which employs a 30m x 0.25mm ID x 0.25µm HP-5MSUI column.

These locked retention times considerably reduce the time required to create multi-residue MRM methods and software tools exist to create MRM methods with optimized conditions for quantitative analysis. Agilent has a database of locked retention times, pre-cursor and product ions and the associated collision energies for more than 1000 GC-amenable pesticides, EDCs and Pollutants.

The outlet of the 15m column is connected to an Agilent capillary flow device (a pressure controlled tee, PCT) mounted inside the GC oven, held at a constant pressure setting provided by a pneumatics control module (PCM). The outlet of the PCT is connected to the QQQ interface using a 0.50m x 0.15mm ID x 0.15µm DB5-MSUI restrictor.

This configuration (with the PCT at the outlet end of the analytical column) is referred to as a post-column back flush configuration. Once the final analyte of interest has eluted into the mass spectrometer, the system goes into post-run mode for a few minutes. During post-run, the inlet pressure to the 15m column is dropped and the pressure at the PCT increased. This creates a reverse flow (back flush) of carrier gas and sweeps any non-eluted higher-boiling components remaining in the column out through the split vent.

After post-run and prior to the next injection, inlet and PCT pressure set-points are reset to their starting values.

The use of back flush provides :

- Consistent analyte retention times
- Robust chromatography and consistent analyte chromatographic peak shapes
- Prevention of high boiling matrix from contaminating the MS ion source
- Extended column life-time and reduced cycle times by removing the need for high-temperature bake-out between runs



GC-**QQQ** Analysis Conditions (2x RTL Pesticide Method)

Gas Chromatograph	Agilent 7890A
Columns	(1) 15.0m x 0.25mm ID x 0.25 um HP-5MS Ultra Inert (19091S-431SI) Inlet CO2 cooled Multimode Inlet, outlet Pressure controlled tee (2) 0.50m x 0.15mm ID x 0.15um DB-5MSUI (Cut from 165-6626) Inlet Pressure controlled tee at 2.0 psig (PCM), outlet Vacuum
Carrier gas	Helium
Carrier gas mode	Constant pressure
Column Head pressure	15.290 psi , Retention Time Locked to Trifluralin at 5.818 mins
Injection Port	CO2 cooled, Multimode Inlet
Auto-sampler	Agilent 7693A
Injection mode	Cold Splitless, Purge delay 1.0 min Purge Flow 50.0 ml/min at 1.0 min
MMI Temperature Program	80 (0.1) – 600 deg C/min – 300 deg C
Injection volume	1.0 µL
Injection port liner	Multi-baffle 4mm , deactivated (5190-2296)
Oven program deg C (min)	70 (1) – 50 deg C /min – 150 (0) 6 – 200 (0) - 16 -280 (4.07) deg C (Run time = 20.0 mins)
Mass Spectrometer	Agilent 7000B QQQ
MS Interface	280 deg C
MS Source	280 deg C
MS Quad 1	150 deg C
MS Quad 2	150 deg C
Backflush conditions	Post run, 3 mins, Oven 280 deg C, PCM 60 psig, Inlet 1 psig
Detection mode	MRM, 2 Transitions per analyte, Transitions 20ms or 10 ms dwell times
El Tune	Atune, Gain normalized, G = 10



**GC-QQQ acquiring data in MRM mode is *ipso facto*
a target based analysis**

- *You can only find / quantify what you are looking for...*

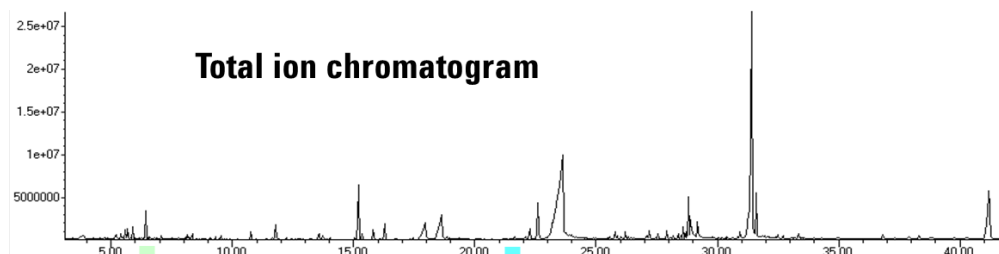


Could there be other pesticide residues present in the samples? ...



*... Let's find out by using the 5975 MSD
and Deconvolution Reporting Software !*

GC-MSD DRS Results – Green Bean & Mint Extracts



Targets are identified by comparison to locked R.T.s and 3 qualifier ion ratios, then quantified using target ion area vs ISTD cal table

Quant Results

AMDIS 32 deconvolutes component spectra and searches target MS database using locked RT used as a qualifier

Confirmed AMDIS hits

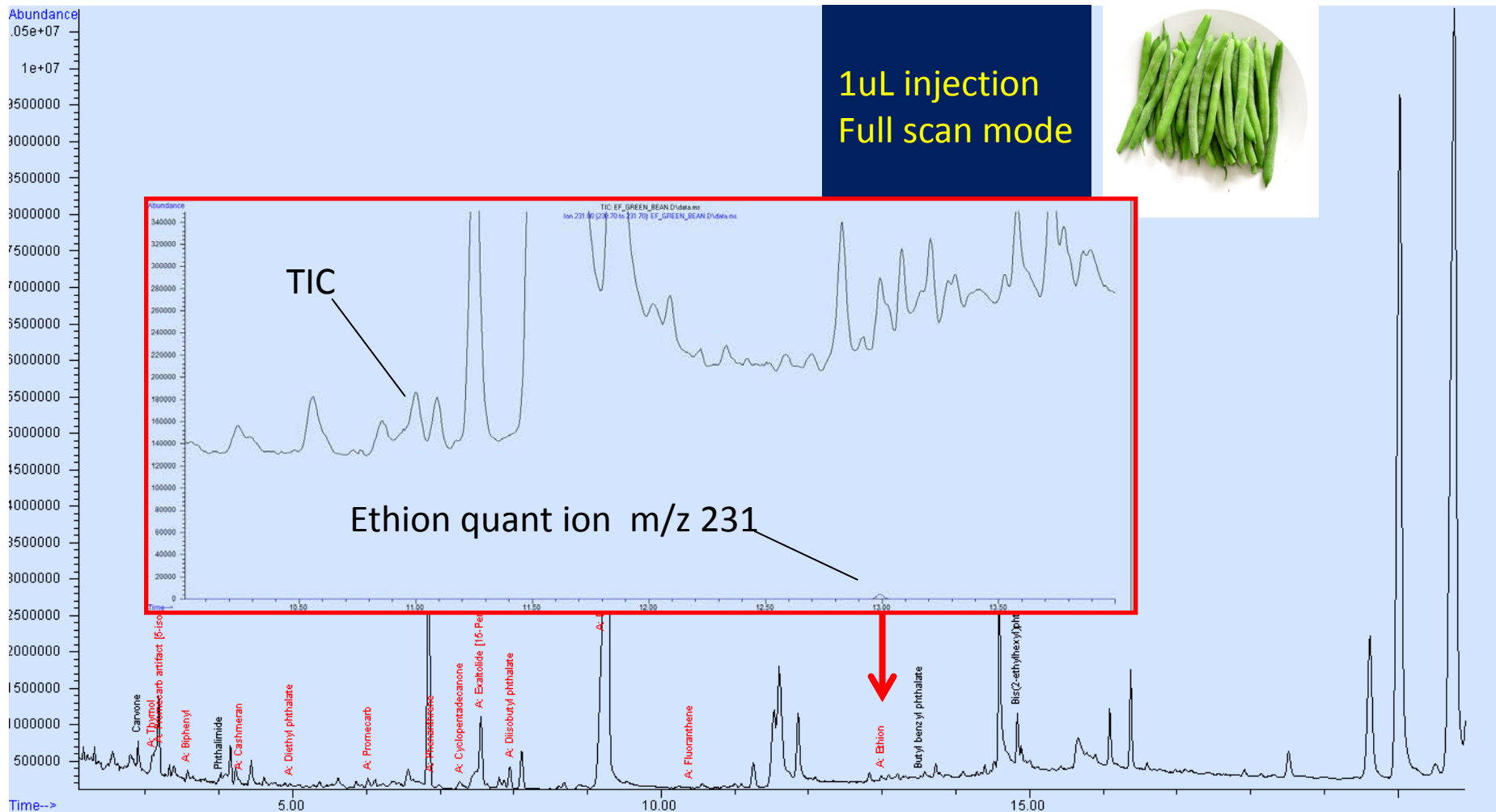
Deconvoluted Target spectra confirmed by AMDIS, searched against NIST11 MS database

Confirmed NIST11 hits

Combined quantitative and qualitative HTML
Summary report



'QuickStart' Method 5975 MSD – TIC Green Bean Extract



Black peak labels = targets confirmed by 4 EICs in Chemstation

Red peak labels = targets confirmed by DRS (AMDIS)

MSD Deconvolution Report
Sample Name: x2 RTL method
Data File: C:\DOCUME~1\csandy\MYDOCU~1\EUROFI~1\EU1BB5~1\EF_GRE~1.D
Date/Time: 10:47 AM Tuesday, Oct 25 2011

Adjacent Peak Subtraction = 1
Resolution = Medium
Sensitivity = High
Shape Requirements = Medium

The NIST library was searched for the components that were found in the AMDIS target library.



R.T.	Cas #	Compound Name	Amount (ng)		AMDIS		NIST	
			Chem station	AMDIS	Match	R.T. Diff sec.	Reverse Match	Hit Num.
2.9016	99490	Carvone	0.84	0.76	94	-1.1	94	1
3.081	89838	Thymol		0.05	47	2.3		
3.0812	95452087	Cyclohexane, 2-ethenyl-1,1-dimethyl-3-methylene-					77	1
3.205	3228033	Promecarb artifact [5-isopropyl-3-methy		0.07	74	4.1		
3.2053	1450722	Ethanone, 1-(2-hydroxy-5-methylphenyl)-					82	1
3.562	92524	Biphenyl		0.05	87	1.3	81	3
3.9869	85416	Phthalimide	0.01	0.02	55	-0.3	65	3
4.2836	33704619	Cashmeran		0.1	75	-3.1	71	25
4.9749	84662	Diethyl phthalate		0.04	86	-0.4	82	1
6.029	2631370	Promecarb		0.79	50	8.4		
6.0293	0000	p-Anisic acid, 4-nitrophenyl ester					92	1
6.8441	1517222	Phenanthrene-d10			99	-2.3	88	2
6.8919	85018	Phenanthrene		0.03	52	-2.3	76	7
7.267	502727	Cyclopentadecanone		0.16	49	-3.7		
7.2673	34450185	17-Octadecynoic acid					81	1
7.5459	106025	Exaltolide [15-Pentadecanolide]		1.13	67	-1.1		
7.5459	102608537	3,7,11,15-Tetramethyl-2-hexadecen-1-ol					92	1
7.9487	84695	Diisobutyl phthalate		2.88	97	0.1	89	3
9.183	84742	Di-n-butylphthalate		0.2	86	-3.0	87	7
10.390	206440	Fluoranthene			47	-3.6		
10.3903	28816946	Pyrene, 10b,10c-dihydro-10b,10c-dipropyl-, trans-					58	1
12.993	563122	Ethion		0.03	79	-1.0	78	1
13.4935	85687	Butyl benzyl phthalate	0.03		66	1.2	74	1
14.8317	117817	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	1.96	1.86	95	0.9	78	8
6.846		Phenanthrene-d10	10					

DRS GC-MS Results 'QuickStart' Method Green Bean Extract

QQQ Ethion RT = 13.007 minutes
Delta RT = 0.84 seconds !!!



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GC-MS /MS Pesticide Analyzer 2.0
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DRS GC-MS Results

'QuickStart' Method Green Bean Extract



Full Scan 5975 MSD-DRS Confirmed : Ethion

GC-QQQ Confirmed : Ethion at 25 ppb

No other pesticide residues found

'QuickStart' Pesticide Method DRS Results– Mint Extract

MSD Deconvolution Report

Sample Name: x2 RTL method
Data File: C:\msdchem\1\DATA\EUROFI~1\EF_MINT.D
Date/Time: 11:13 AM Tuesday, Nov 23 2010

Adjacent Peak Subtraction = 1
Resolution = Medium
Sensitivity = High
Shape Requirements = Medium

1uL injection
AMDIS Match >55

The NIST library was searched for the components that were found in the AMDIS target library.

R.T.	Cas #	Compound Name	Amount (ng)		AMDIS		NIST	
			Chem station	AMDIS	Match	R.T. Diff sec.	Reverse Match	Hit Num.
2.9518	99490	Carvone			99	4.9	94	3
3.0363	3964565	Profenofos metabolite (4-Bromo-2-chlorophenol)			83	9.0	85	2
3.2124	3228033	Promecarb artifact [5-isopropyl-3-methylphenol]			71	4.9		
3.2124	7786610	2-Methoxy-4-vinylphenol					74	1
3.4105	97530	Eugenol	5.5		94	1.6	91	1
6.8488	1517222	Phenanthrene-d10			99	-1.7	87	2
7.5652	106025	Exaltolide [15-Pentadecanolide]			56	1.2		
7.5652	102608537	3,7,11,15-Tetramethyl-2-hexadecen-1-ol					91	1
7.9557	84695	Diisobutyl phthalate			85	1.0	82	17
8.6592	57837191	Metalaxyl			75	-1.2	67	2
9.1908	84742	Di-n-butylphthalate			73	-2.0	73	19
10.0103	10544500	Sulfur (S8)			95	0.2	91	1
13.4684	126833178	Fenhexamid			77	2.8	68	8
13.7604	107534963	Tebuconazole			88	5.3	85	1
14.8428	117817	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	1.87		93	2.2	86	3
15.2083	68085858	Cyhalothrin I (lambda)			91	2.7		
15.2083	91465086	lambda.-Cyhalothrin					88	1
17.796	71561110	Pyrazoxyfen	0.03					
18.0159	52918635	Deltamethrin			63	1.8	69	1
6.851		Phenanthrene-d10	10					

Biphenyl, Diphenylamine, Iprodione and Boscalid not reported by DRS with 1uL Injection, but are with 5uL injection

These 2 analytes were not in the original 178 compound MRM method

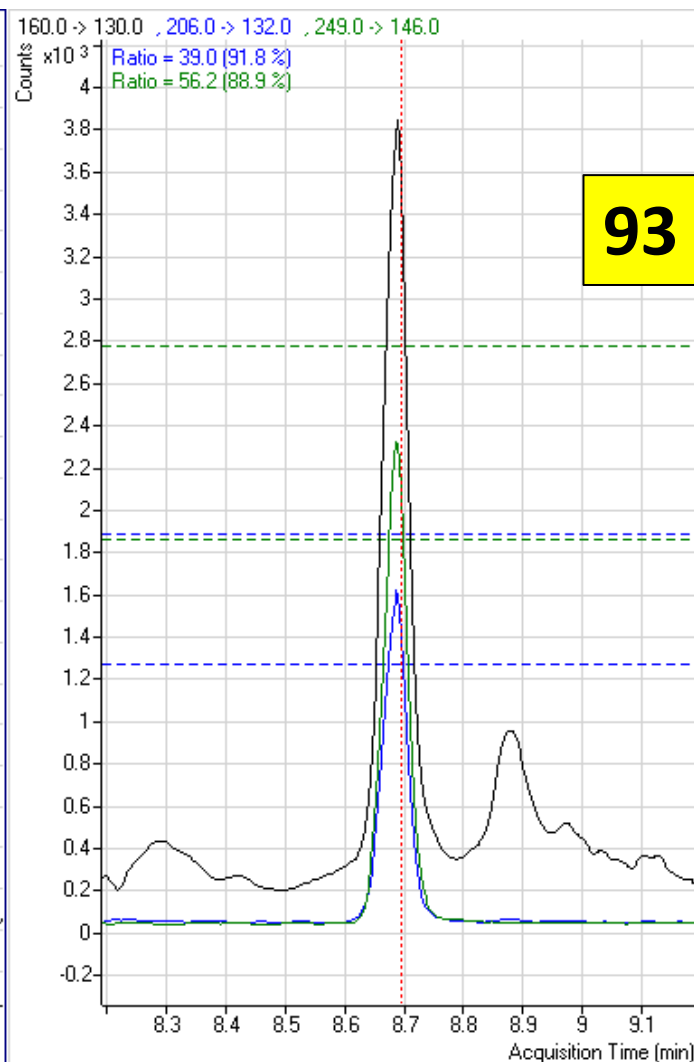
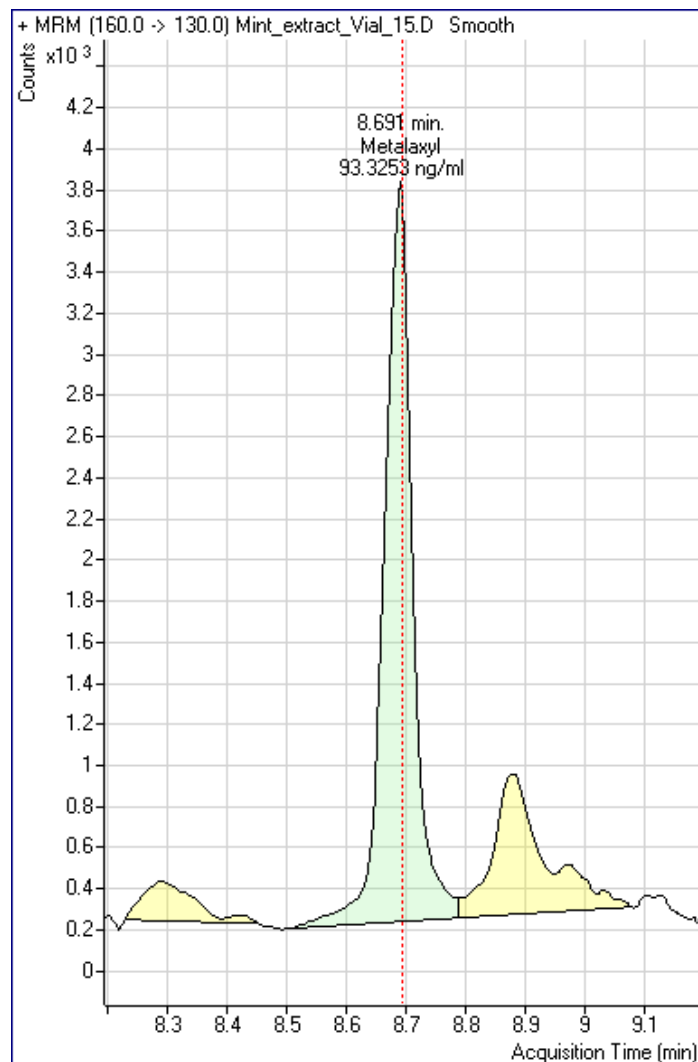


GC-QQQ – 178 (+2) Target Analytes

Dichlorvos	Diazinon	Parathion ethyl	Methidathion	Carbophenothion	Tebufenpyrad
Dichlobenil	Phosphamidon I	Isobenzan	Bromophos-ethyl	Endosulfan sulfate	Fenazaquin
Biphenyl	BHC delta isomer	Chlorthal-dimethyl	Endosulfan (alpha isomer)	Quinoxifen	Bifenox
Mevinphos	Paraoxon-methyl	Fenson	PyrifenoX II	Cyanofenphos	Tetradifon
Propham	Terbacil	Nitrothal-isopropyl	Chlordane, cis-	Fenhexamid	Phenothrin I
Methacrifos	Tefluthrin, cis-	Tetraconazole	Disulfoton sulfone	Propiconazole-II	Phenothrin II
Phenylphenol, o-	Etrimfos	Isodrin	Tetrachlorvinphos	DDT, o,p'-	Furathiocarb
Tecnazene	Chlorothalonil	Butralin	Paclobutrazol	DDT, p,p'-	Phosalone
Propachlor	Formothion	Pirimiphos-ethyl	Chlorfenson	Lenacil	Leptophos
Propoxur	Dichlofenthion	Cyprodinil	Hexaconazole	Propiconazole-I	Cyhalothrin I (lambda)
Diphenylamine	Metribuzin	Heptachlor epoxide	Prothiofos	Hexazinone	Benfuracarb
Demeton-S- methyl	Chlorpyrifos Methyl	Heptachlor exo-epoxide isomer B	Dieldrin	Nuarimol	Pyrazophos
Chlorpropham	Parathion methyl	Metazachlor	Profenofos	Tebuconazole	Acrinathrin
Dioxabenzofos	Spiroxamine I	Pendimethalin	DDE, p,p'-	Propargite	Dialifos
Benfluralin	Spiroxamine II	Penconazole	Fludioxonil	Piperonyl butoxide	Bitertanol I
Trifluralin	Vinclozolin	Tolyfluanid	Imazalil	Resmethrin I	Bitertanol II
Phorate	Heptachlor	Captan	Myclobutanil	Resmethrin II	Spirodiclofen
BHC alpha isomer	Tolclofos-methyl	PyrifenoX I	Endrin	Iprodione	Permethrin I
Hexachlorobenzene	Carbaryl	Chlozolate	Kresoxim-methyl	Phosmet	Pyridaben
Dicloran	Paraoxon	Folpet	Cyproconazole	Pyridaphenthion	Permethrin II
Ethoxyquin	Metalaxyl	Isofenphos	Endosulfan (beta isomer)	Tetramethrin I	Prochloraz
BHC beta isomer	Prosulfocarb	Chlorfenvinphos	Chlorfenapyr	Bromopropylate	Cyfluthrin I-IV
Lindane	Fenitrothion	Quinalphos	Chlorobenzilate	EPN	Boscalid
Quintozene	Dichlofluanid	Fluazinam	Chlordecone	Fenoxycarb	Cypermethrin I-IV
Isocarbamide		Phenthoate	DDD, p,p'-	Carbosulfan	Fenvalerate I
Terbufos	Aldrin	Mecarbam	Oxadixyl	Dicofol, p,p'-	Fenvalerate II
Fonofos	Fenthion	Fipronil	Ethion	Bifenthrin	Fluvalinate-tau-I
Propetamphos	Diethofencarb	Furalaxyl	Tetrasul	Tetramethrin II	Indoxacarb
Propyzamide	Chlorthion	Procymidone	Mepronil	Methoxychlor	Deltamethrin
Pyrimethanil	Chlorpyrifos	Chlordane, trans-	Ofurace	Fenpropathrin	Famoxadone

Analytes in red added after DRS analysis

GC-QQQ Quant Result – Metalaxyl – Mint Extract



GC-QQQ Quant Result – Fenhexamid – Mint Extract

